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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

PATENT

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First Named Inventor: Chia-Hong Jan, et al
Examiner's Name: Vu, Hunk K.
Art Unit: 2811
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- ☐ An Amendment After Final Action (37 CFR 1.116) is attached and applicant(s) request expedited action.
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☐ Applicant(s) claim small entity status (37 CFR 1.27).

ATTACHMENTS

- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
☒ Amendment/Response with respect to Office Action
☐ Amendment/Response After Final Action (37 CFR 1.116) (reminder: consider filing a Notice of Appeal)
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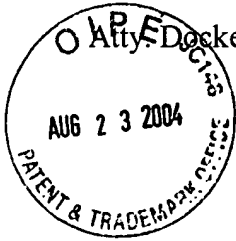
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In re application of:

Chia-Hong Jan, et al.

Application No.: 09/477,764

Filed: January 4, 2000

For: A DEVICE HAVING RECESSED SPACERS
FOR IMPROVED SALICIDE RESISTANCE
ON POLYSILICON GATES

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Art Unit: 2811

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action mailed August 10, 2004, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to enter the following amendments and to consider the following remarks.

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